

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re Application of )  
Delma S. Hume et al. ) Art Unit: 3687  
Application No.: 10/612,659 ) Examiner: Vanel Frenel  
Filed: July 2, 2003 ) Confirmation No: 5530  
For: METHOD FOR MANAGING )  
RETURNS )  
Attorney Docket No.: 02-337 )  
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Peoria, Illinois 61629-6490

February 23, 2010

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RESPONSE TO NOTICE OF NON-COMPLIANCE

Dear Sir:

This paper is submitted in response to the Notice of Non-Compliance mailed December 21, 2009. We respectfully request that the application be reconsidered in view of the following submissions included herewith:

- Presentation of full set of claims
- Remarks